

Notary Advisory

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You may receive notices from out-of-state Notary associations offering training on the legislation (LB 315) that makes extensive changes in Nebraska Notary laws. These associations often charge a fee for their training.

Please be advised that the Secretary of State's Office does not endorse these associations, nor are the associations affiliated with our office in any way.

These associations may offer additional "certification" classes that are marketed as necessary to help Notaries perform their duties. Our office does not sanction these classes. These classes are not required to be a Notary in Nebraska as there is only one classification of Notaries in Nebraska: General Notary.

These associations may offer notary supplies for sale. The only required Notary supply you need to lawfully notarize is your inked stamp seal. (Journals are optional under Nebraska law but are recommended by our office.)

The Secretary of State's Office is the government office that commissions Notaries Public in Nebraska. Our office will be administering the new Notary laws that take effect July 16, 2004, and the written examination required of new Notaries.